

Docket No.: 50006-135



#8 Election  
7-9-03  
PATENT *Mallish*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Tomohiro HOSOKAWA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/026,551

Group Art Unit: 2812

Filed: December 27, 2001

Examiner: Andre C. Stevenson

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND SYSTEM FOR  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Restriction Requirement  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Noting the ~~Office~~ Action of June 4, 2003 wherein restriction has been required, Applicant(s) hereby elect Group I (claims 1-7) for prosecution in the above-identified application.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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